MEMORIES

1948—1949

Virginia Foster

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BELLE UNION HIGH SCHOOL

volume-VI

1948-49

FORWARD

TIME MARCHES ON, and as we are lifted up on its fleeting wings, we again publish "MEMORIES."

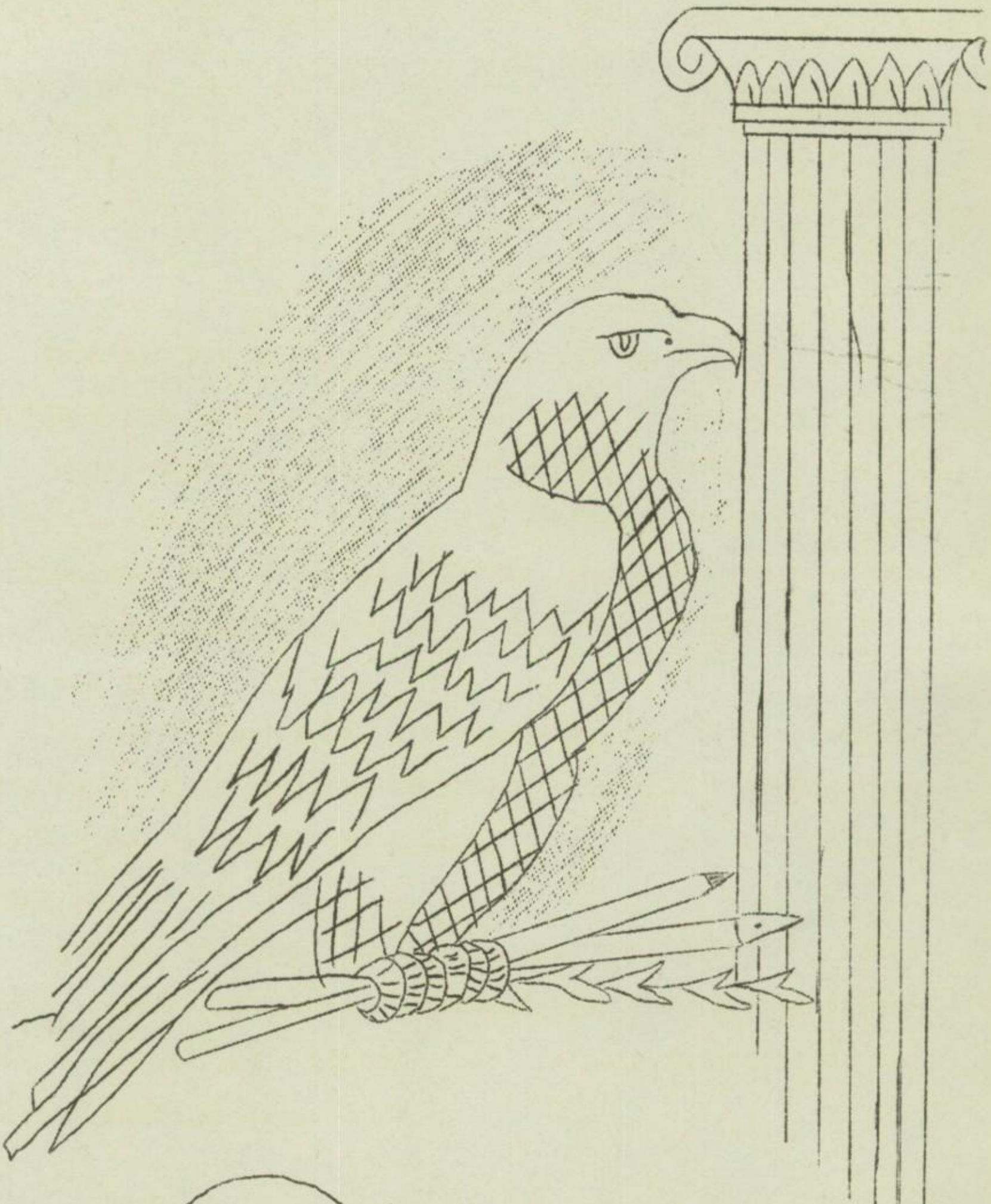
We are almost ready to graduate--just another class of old B. U.--The moving finger has written a record of accomplishments and failures. It is sweet to remember the sweet accomplishments, but it is from the failures that we learn and grow.

We, the Senior Class, after much deliberation respectifully submit this edition "MEMORIES" with the hope that you find as much pleasure in reading it as we have had in preparing it.

Speaking in behalf of the class, as Editor, I would like to express my grateful appreciation for the assistance given me by all the students and faculty in compiling the material forth coming.

"Give to the world the best that you have,
And the best will come back to you."

The Editor



Dedication

We, the Class of 1949 take great pleasure in dedicating this Book of Memories to our Sponsor, Mrs. Hodge.

You have given us all you possess in talent and hard work during the two years you have served so faithfully as our Sponsor. We want you to know that we sincerely appreciate your efforts to guide us through these two hard working years and are grateful to you for your time and effort to bring success to us.

Mr. Prichard, we wish to extend our thanks to you, who as our principal and friend have helped us in every way possible. We appreciate your fine cooperation and are in deep gratitude to you. Your cheerful and pleasant attitude has inspired us and we will always remember your motto, "To smile and be cheerful and Take Life as it Comes."

Lee Sechman, Trustee

Jefferson Township

Through your kind cooperation and support we have had the opportunity to graduate from this fine institution -- Belle Union High School.

Best Wishes

GREETINGS

FROM

OUR PRINCIPAL

DEVELOPMENT OF MENTAL ENERGY
A KEY TO SUCCESS

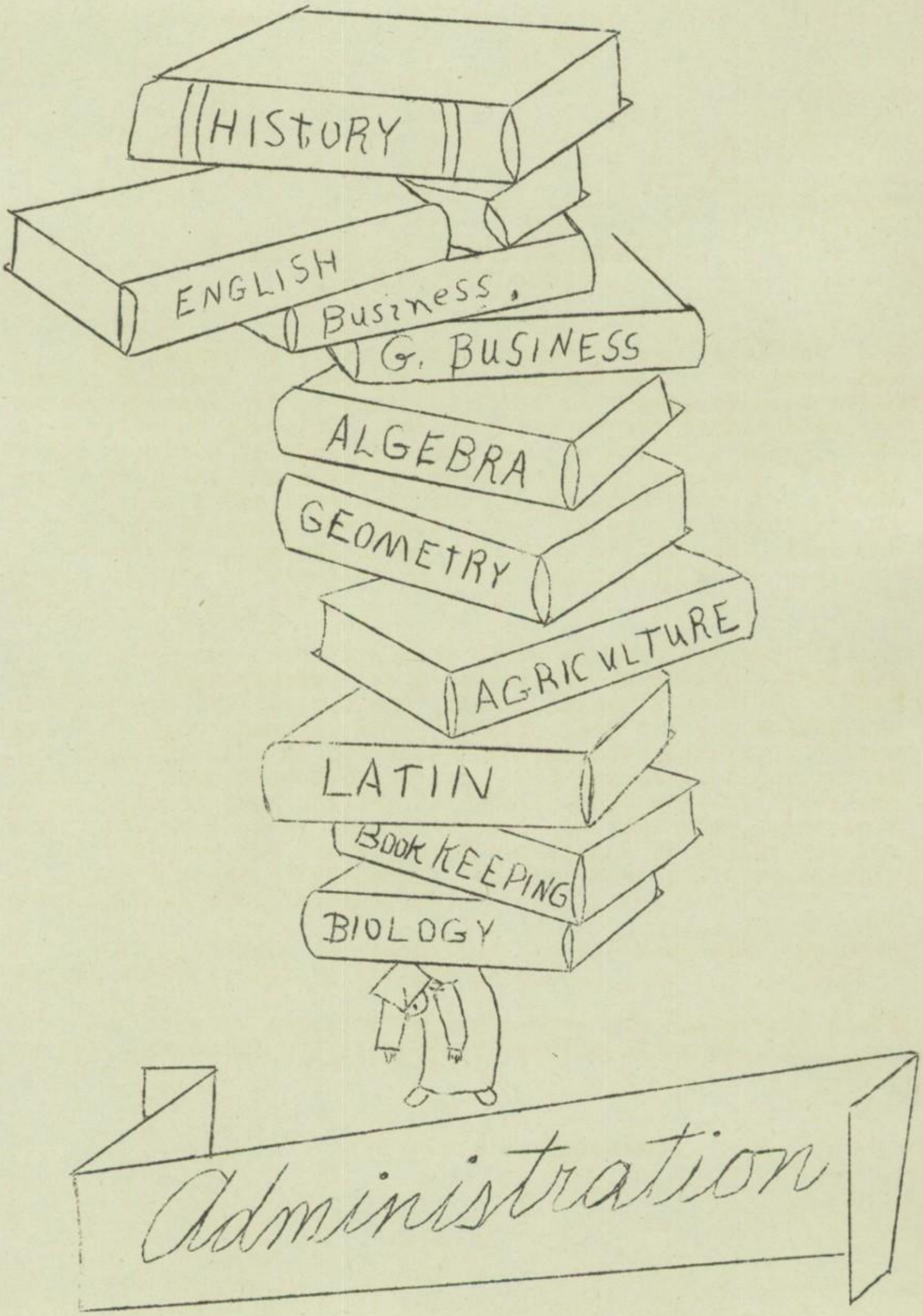
The process of developing mental energy is almost entirely unknown to the average individual. He sees how nature operates in producing a field of wheat, corn or cotton or a grove of oranges. But it never occurs to him that the brain operates in much the same way in creating ideas. He knows that a field must be cultivated and prepared for any crop. He knows that seed must be planted and the ground fertilized in order to replace the minerals removed from it in growing a previous crop. He does not realize that the brain must be cultivated and ideas planted in it in order to produce a mental crop.

The undeveloped brain is like an uncultivated field. It is as unproductive as a desert. It remains that way until it is cultivated and ideas properly planted. What knowledge you have at this moment, and how you think, are THE EXACT RESULTS OF THE EDUCATION you have acpuired. Look back over your education so far. Get a mental picture of it. Then contrast your ability today with your ability after you have completed some special course in education, and then after you have had ten years of experience in business. You will see a great difference. To see these pictures clearly you must use your imagination.

The mind must be submitted to an educative process before it can complete its development.

Man's great superiority rests upon his ability to profit by the successful experiences of successful people.

Dora G. Prichard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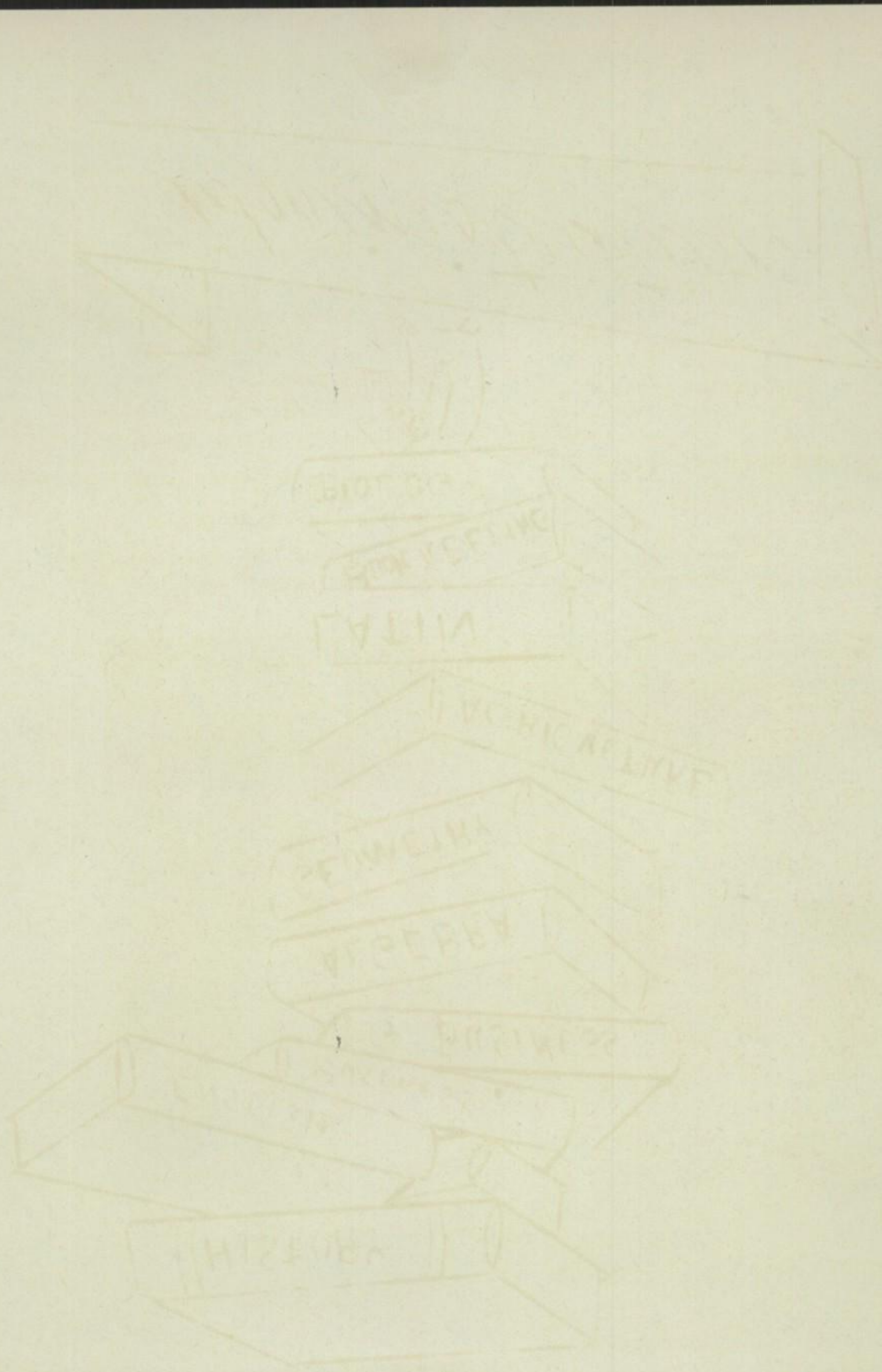

FACULTY

First Row: (Seated) Mrs. Mabel Davidson, Music, Art, English.

Vera Garl, Grades 2 and 3.

Mary Logan, Grades 4 and 5.

Freda Hodge: Commerce, Library, Phy. Ed., English.

Clone Parker: Grades 1 and 2.

Mrs. Edith Whitaker (Not in picture) Home Ec., Math., English.

Second Row: (Standing) Dennis Goodpaster, Janitor.

Loftie Stringer: Grades 5 and 6.

Dora G. Prichard, Principal, Latin. Math.

Paul Buis: Math, Science.

Lester Mosteller: Coach, Social Studies, Science.

OUR BUS DRIVERS

Earl Allen
Kenneth Broadstreet
Lawrence Clifford
Earl Nichols
Joseph Pickens
Harold Phillips

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Robert Ziegelman

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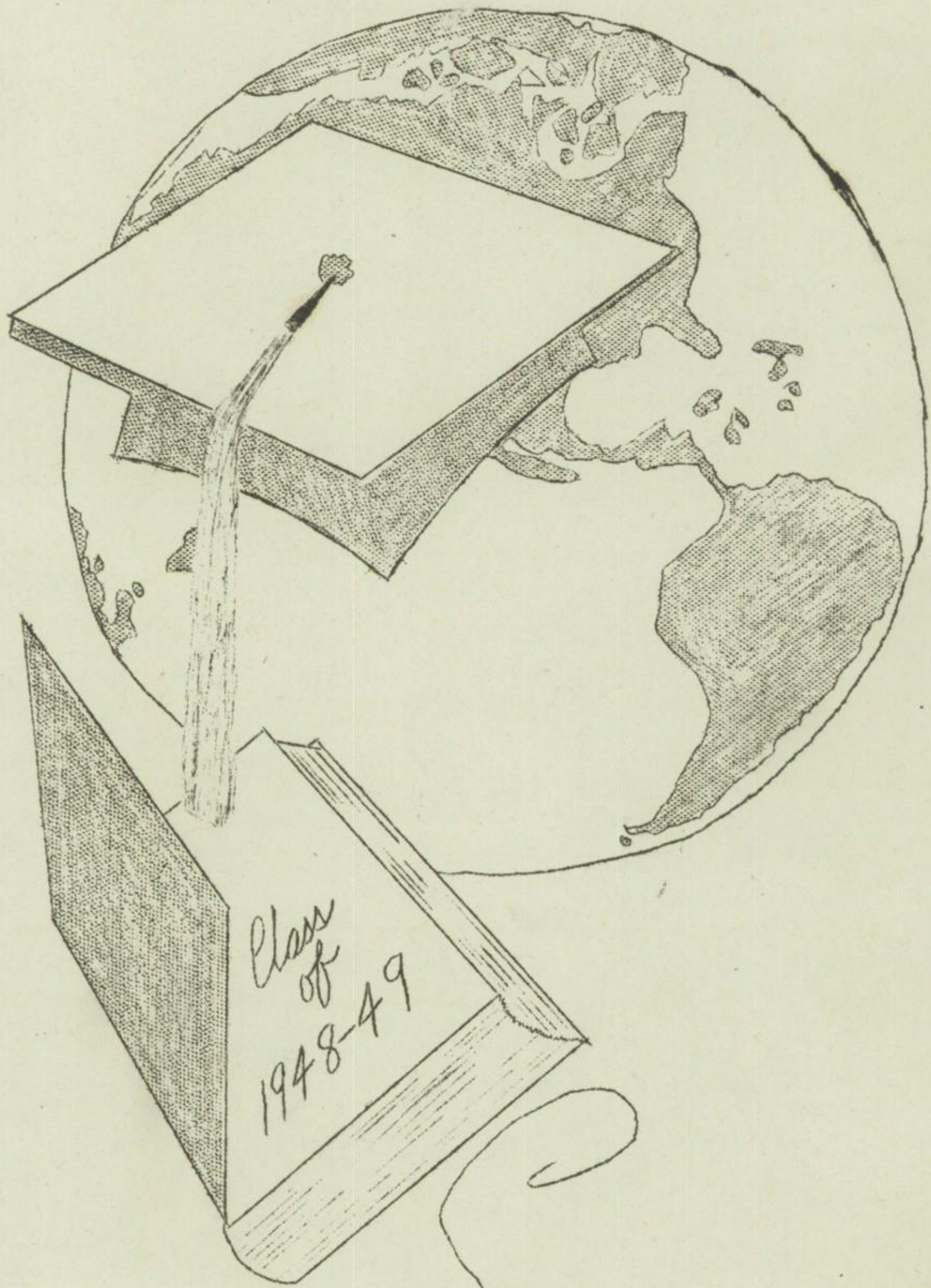


Seniors

SENIORS

Robert Ziegelman
President

Waneta Nichols
Sec. and Treas.

Morris Williamson
Vice President

Margaret Hurst

Gloria McCammack

Bob DePew

Shirlie Dorsett

Leon Phillips

"AUNT BESSIE BEATS THE BAND"

OCTOBER 21st and 22nd

1948

Alice Morley, who has loved and lost.--------Gloria McCammack
Bessie Bonner, her housekeeper----------Shirlie Dorsett
Betsy Blotter, her maid.----------Waneta Nichols
Simon Trotter, her man-of-all-work.----------Bobby Ziegelman
May Ketchum, a hopeful spinster.----------Margaret Hurst
Hezekiah Hawkeye, a lawyer.----------Bob DePew
Paul Vernon, a victim of circumstances.----------Lloyd Buis
Frederick Frost, a disappointed man.----------Raymond Gibson

Director----------Freeda Hodge

Scene: Living-room of the Morley home in a small town.

"ABIGAIL GOES HAYWIRE"

April 8th and 9th

1949

Abigail Hyde, one of the owners of Heavenly Haven----------
Waneta Nichols
Janice Holtham, friend of Abigail and one of the owners of Heavenly Haven.----------Gloria McCammack
Leslie Jordan, friend of Abigail and one of the owners of Heavenly Haven.----------Margaret Hurst
Don St. John, a famous author and a funambulist.----------
Morris Williamson
Reuben Steuben, a real estate operator.--------Leon Phillips
John Meredith, a carpenter.----------Bobby Ziegelman
Hannah Matthews, maid and housekeeper.--------Shirlie Dorsett
Oliver Mortimer, publisher, of the house of Mortimer,Oliver, Oliver and Mortimer.----------Bob DePew

Director----------Freeda Hodge

Scene: Living-room of Heavenly Haven, a small but comfortable country home.

Time: Summer.

FRESHMEN '46

We started our Freshmen year with twelve members. They are as follows: Waneta Nichols, Bill Berge, Bob Ziegelman, Albert O'Neal, Bill Barnette, Bob DePew, Shirlie Dorsett, Gloria McCammack, Margaret Hurst, Betty Jones, Leon Phillips and Charles Chestnut. The class officers were:

President----------Bill Berge
Vice President----------Bob Ziegelman
Sec. & Treas.----------Waneta Nichols
Sponsor----------Paul Buis

SOPHOMORE '47

We started our Sophomore year with three new members, Morris Williamson, Betty McCammack and our old Schoolmate, Elinor Brooks, who had come back from Hawaii. We were sorry to lose Charles Chestnut, Billy Barnette, Albert O'Neal and Betty McCammack, leaving us eleven members. We elected class officers as follows:

President----------Elinor Brooks
Vice President----------Bob Ziegelman
Sec. & Treas.----------Bill Berge
Sponsor----------Robert Wallace

JUNIORS '48

In September '47 we marched back to the East Assembly as Juniors, finding we had lost three members, Elinor Brooks, who returned to Hawaii, Betty Jones, who moved to Bainbridge, and Bill Berge, who moved to Greencastle, this leaving us a class of eight. We elected our class officers as follows:

President----------Bob Ziegelman
Vice President---------Morris Williamson
Sec. & Treas.----------Waneta Nichols
Sponsor----------Freeda Hodge

During the year we sponsored a Halloween Carnival in October and gave a play titled "Aunt Bessie Beats The Band". The Junior and Senior Reception was held at Indianapolis. After the evening meal, we attended the Indoor Circus at the Murat Temple. It was enjoyed by all.

SENIOR '49

Once more we returned to Belle Union High School, this time as Seniors. Losing none and gaining none we were the same eight.

Electing our class officers, for our last year, they are as follows:

President----------Bob Ziegelman
Vice President---------Morris Williamson
Sec. & Treas.----------Waneta Nichols
Sponsor----------Freeda Hodge

Our school activities consisted of a play titled "Abigail Goes Haywire," Commencement and Baccalaureate. Thus, bringing us to the end of our High School Days.

CLASS POEMS

While you are reading this memory book,
Take out a little time,
To read about each Senior,
In a little form of rhyme.

Bobby Ziegelman, president of our class,
He's awful smart, so you'll know he'll pass
In basketball, he can't be beat,
But while in school, he likes to eat.

Leon Phillips, who likes to miss school,
Now don't you think he obeys the rules
When school is out, he'll work on a farm,
So if he gets married, don't be alarmed.

Well what do you know, its Bob DePew,
He's also one of that Senior crew
A race driver some-day, he wants to be,
So out on the track, Bob you will see.

Morris Williamson, of course, will marry some-day,
From the looks of things, he's not far away
And when he's married and all settled down,
He'll find each Senior dropping around.

Shirlie Dorsett, she's tall and neat,
In picking a friend, she can't be beat
She likes the balconys in the shows,
That is when Bob takes a notion to go.

Gloria McCammack, is everyones pal,
We'll all admit, she's one swell gal
We don't know what she plans to do,
But whatever it is, she'll see her way through.

Waneta Nichols, a sweet lass,
She's the Sec. and Treas. of our class
A great big wedding is coming her way,
And she plans to make her home in Stilesville some day.

Margaret Hurst, is a very fine girl,
She keeps all the Seniors in a whirl
What ever profession she may choose,
We know she'll never have the blues.

And now Mrs. Hodge, we can't let her pass,
She's really been swell, to the Senior Class
In chosing a sponsor, she can't be beat,
For working with her, has been a treat.

PROPHECY

Time, like a mighty river, flows on unceasingly until the tale of the years are told. Nothing is accomplished by looking backward. The things we wish to accomplish lie ahead. And although our peephole into the future is small, and our vision is dim, yet we delight to predict the futurity of ourselves, the Senior Class of 1949.

Waneta, our small and lively lass,
Will hold down a job with some class.
She wishes always to be kind and true,
And never intends to make us blue.
She wants to be a homemaker some day.
We wish her success in every way.

And then, there's Bob--better known as Chubby,
Who won't have time to be a hubby,
For the 500 Mile Speedway Race
Is waiting for him to join the pace.
Our hats off to him to be the winner,
For we've heard from him as just a beginner.

Margaret Ann, our carefree gal,
Is to all a dear ole pal.
A job in town she aims to hold down,
Until some Romeo comes around,
Then she will surely say "I do",
And live in a cottage and never be blue.

Morris already has his future in hand,
For marriage to Juanita is what he has planned.
We wish him happiness every day,
And hope their lives will be perfect in every way.
For with her ever at his side,
He takes all things in his stride.

Leon, our tall and handsome Romeo,
Will land in places we do not know.
He tells no one what he plans to do,
But we know he'll win and see it through,
For he is quiet and very steady,
And will do the work, and always be ready.

Shirlie is planning at Lilly's to work,
And we know her work, she will not shirk,
But we often wonder when the sun goes down,
If she'll not get married and live in town,
For Bob, you know, is a plumber by trade,
So our guess is, she'll marry and make the grade.

Now Bobby, our President,
And Star Player of ball,
Will be a great herdsman,
And answer every call.
In many a field, he could make a success,
As he gives his all, yea, always his best.

As for myself, Gloria, a position I'll secure,
Hoping always to be able to endure,
The trials and hardships that may come my way,
Knowing that these pass with the day.
I, like the rest, wish a home of my own,
With loved ones about--and never alone.

A smile is such a gentle act
So easy to perform
It can soothe the ruffled waters
Of many a martial storm.

A smile can make the sick feel better
It has often made an enemy
Into a life long FRIEND.

WILLS

I, Morris Williamson, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to attend school every day to Marvin Clifford.

I, Shirlie Dorsett, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to stay out all night to Bob Hartsaw.

I, Bob DePew, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to tell tall tales to Lester Mosteller.

I, Waneta Nichols, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to go to Stilesville to Priscilla Hutsell.

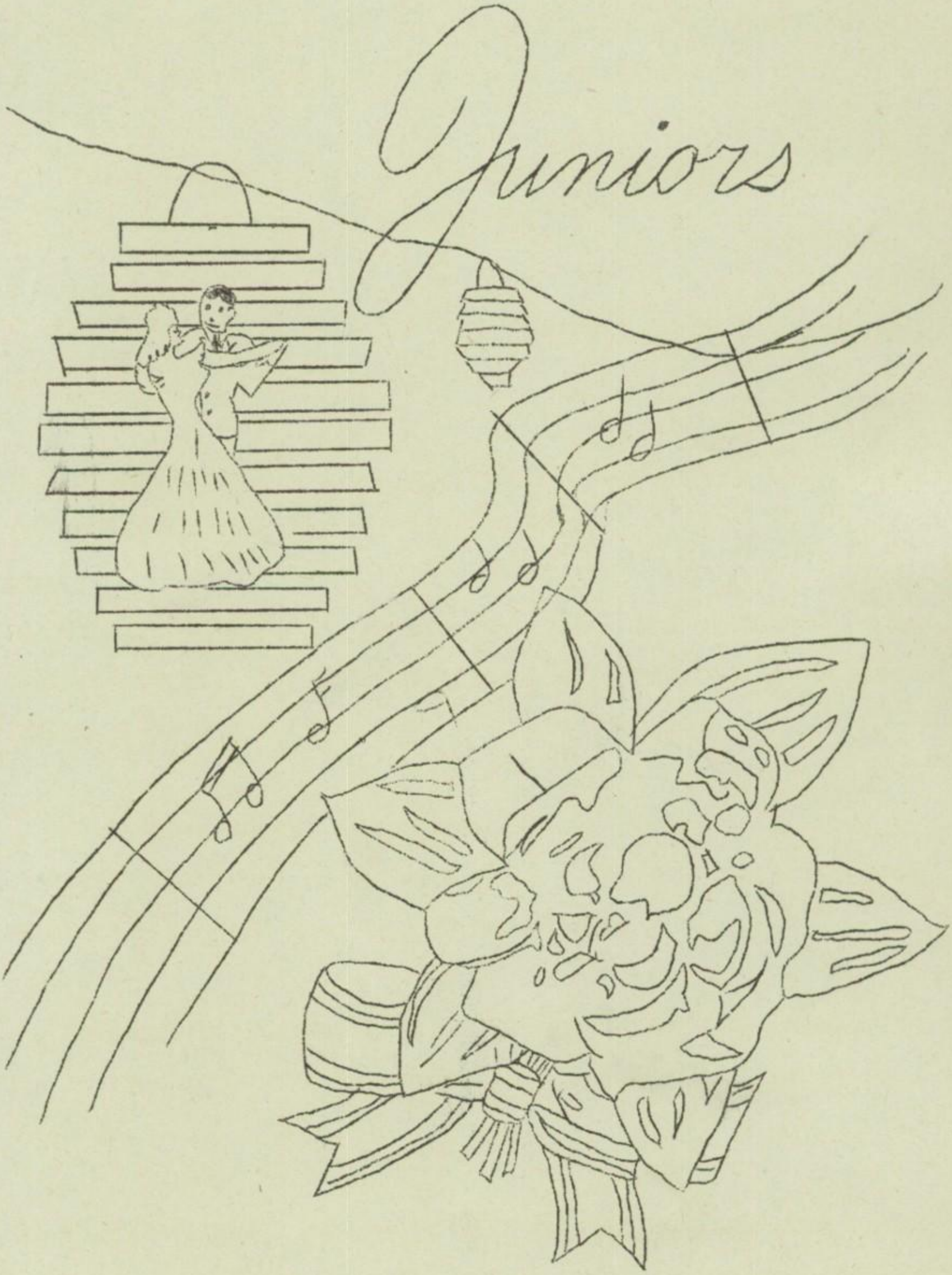
I, Gloria McCammack, do hereby will and bequeath my Government Book to Richard Saunders, provided he doesn't cheat, like I didn't.

I, Bobby Ziegelman, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to play basketball on bowed legs to Denzil Benassi, providing he can use them better than I did.

I, Margaret Hurst, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to go to Truckers Haven late hours in the night to Virginia Lou Wheeler.

I, Leon Phillips, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to sleep in the shower room the third period to Freddie Wheeler.

Juniors



JUNIOR CLASS

Front Row: Left to Right -- Helen Allen, Peggy Sechman, Mrs. Mabel Davidson, Sponsor; Priscilla Hutsell and Virginia Wheeler.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Marvin Clifford, Robert Buis, Richard Saunders, Bob Hartsaw, Freddie Wheeler and Charles Nichols.

JUNIORS

In the fall of 1946 fourteen boys and girls entered B. U. H. S. as freshmens to begin their high school career. They were as follows: Helen Allen, Denzil Benassi, Clyde Buis, Robert Buis, Marvin Clifford, Wendell Hurst, Priscilla Hutsell, Ward Franklin, Wayne Nichols, Peggy Sechman, Albert Underwood, Freddie Wheeler, Virginia Wheeler, and James White. The class officers were:

President----------Marvin Clifford
Vice President----------George Allen
Secretary----------Helen Allen
Treasurer----------Priscilla Hutsell
News Reporters----------Peggy Sechman
Virginia Wheeler
Sponsor----------Mrs. Margaret Danforth

During the year we welcomed three new members, Doris Biddle, Richard Saunders, and George Allen.

In the fall of 1947 we returned as Sophomores to find that we had lost five of our classmates: Doris Biddle, Ward Franklin, Wendell Hurst, Albert Underwood, and George Allen. We were happy to welcome Robert Hartsaw who made a total of thirteen members. We elected the following officers:

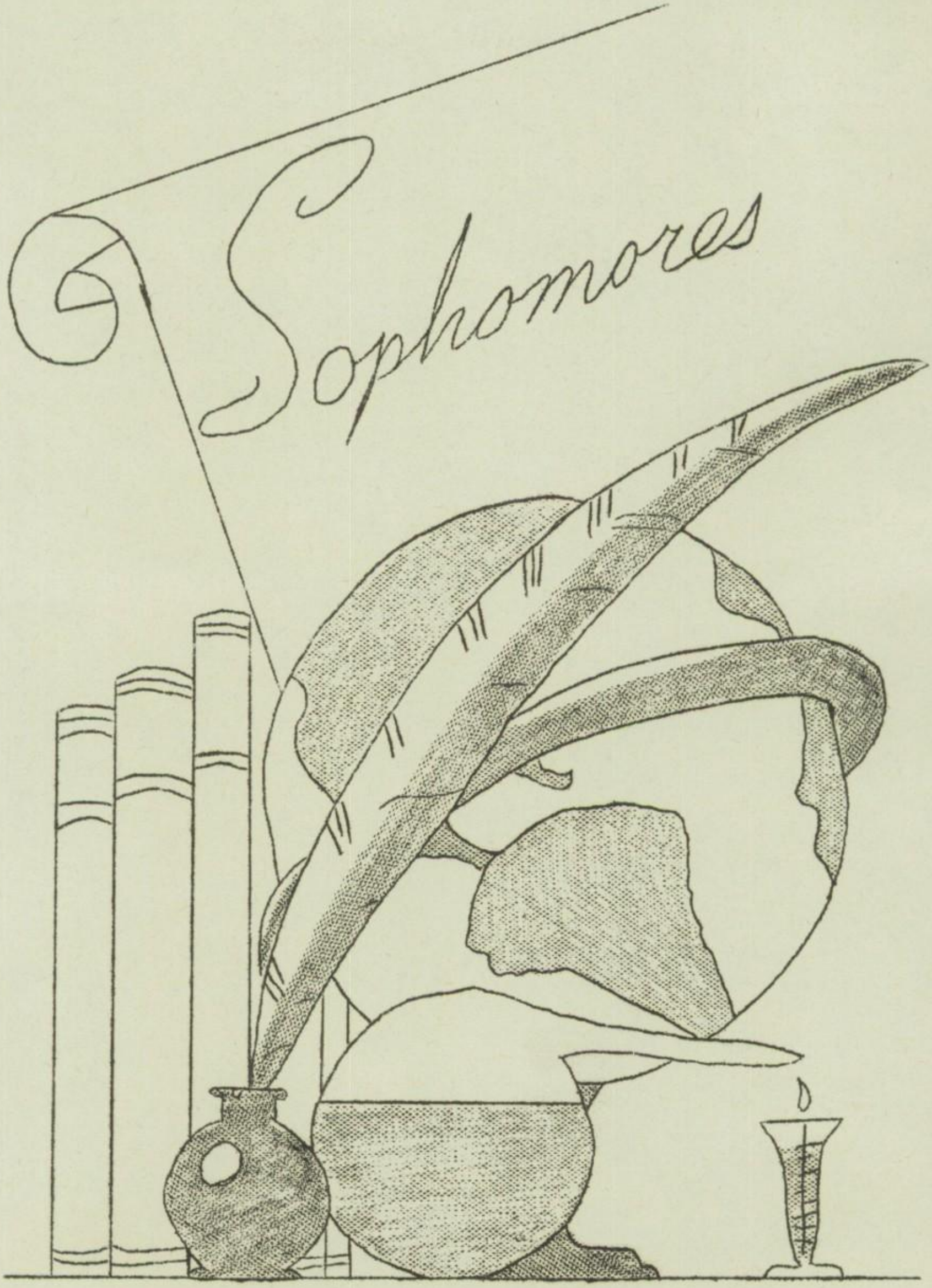
President----------Peggy Sechman
Vice President----------Virginia Wheeler
Sec. & Treasurer----------Priscilla Hutsell
News Reporter----------Helen Allen
Sponsor----------Mr. Lester Mosteller

In the fall of 1948 we again returned as Jolly Juniors with a total of twelve members since Clyde Buis left us. Our class officers were as follows:

President----------Robert Buis
Vice President----------Marvin Clifford
Sec. & Treasurer----------Virginia Wheeler
News Reporter----------Peggy Sechman
Sponsor----------Mrs. Mable Davidson

After the new year we were happy to welcome Crystal Byrd. On October 15-16, 1948 we presented a play entitled, "Sound Your Horn." March 4, 1949 we sponsored a "Family Frolic."

Sophomores



SOPHOMORE CLASS

First Row: Left to Right -- Velma White, Betty Barnett, Juanita Clearwaters, Mr. Prichard, Principal, Bernice Guy, Barbara Shumaker, and Peggy Schulz.

Back Row: Billy Ziegelman, Richard Morrison, Robert Morrison, Glenn McCammack, Donald Dorsett, Gene McCammack, Wayne Cox, Duane Gaston, and Gene Gibson. Mrs. Edith Whitaker, (Not in Picture).

SOPHOMORES

September 1947 we entered Belle Union High School as Freshmen with 10 boys and 9 girls to begin our high school career. The 19 members were as follows: Betty Barnette, David Christianson, Juanita Clearwaters, Wayne Cox, Donald Dorsett, Leon French, Duane Gaston, Gene Gibson, Bernice Guy, Betsy Hacker, Gene McCammack, Glen McCammack, Richard Morrison, Robert Morrison, Peggy Schulz, Barbara Shumaker, Patricia Snodgrass, Velma White and Billy Ziegelman.

With the help of our sponsor, Mrs. Edith Whitaker, we elected class officers as follows:

President----------Duane Gaston
Vice President----------Gene McCammack
Secretary----------Billy Ziegelman
Treasurer----------Richard Morrison
News Reporters----------David Christianson
Barbara Shumaker

In the fall of 1948 we returned to Belle Union High School as Sophomores, to find we had lost Patricia Snodgrass. We called a meeting with our Sponsor, Mrs. Edith Whitaker and elected the following officers.

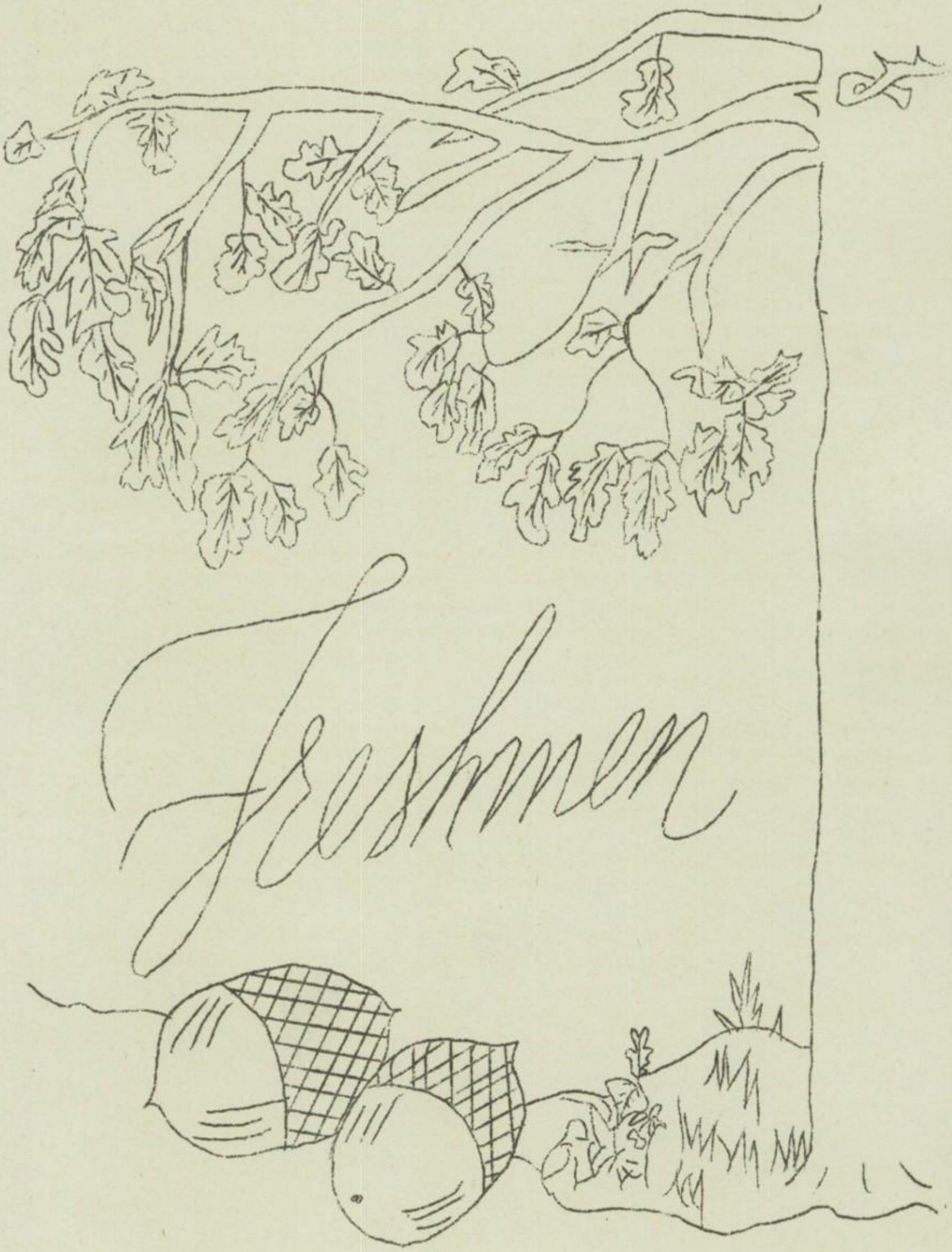
President----------Duane Gaston
Vice President----------Robert Morrison
Secretary----------Juanita Clearwaters
Treasurer----------Velma White
News Reporter----------Peggy Schulz
Robert Morrison

Before the first semster was over Leon French decided to withdraw from school leaving us seventeen. At the beginning of the second semester we secured one new member, Bonnie Smith, but she remained with us only a few days.

Again all of the boys were out for the basketball squad with Robert Morrison as student manager.

This year our social activites consisted of a skating party, Christmas caroling and a chili supper.

The girls were all members of the High School Chorus.


Freshmen

FRESHMAN CLASS

First Row: Left to Right -- Ray Stringer, Beauford Estes, Martha Allee, Evelyn Hurst, Anne Allee, Jimmy Walker, Gene Wells.

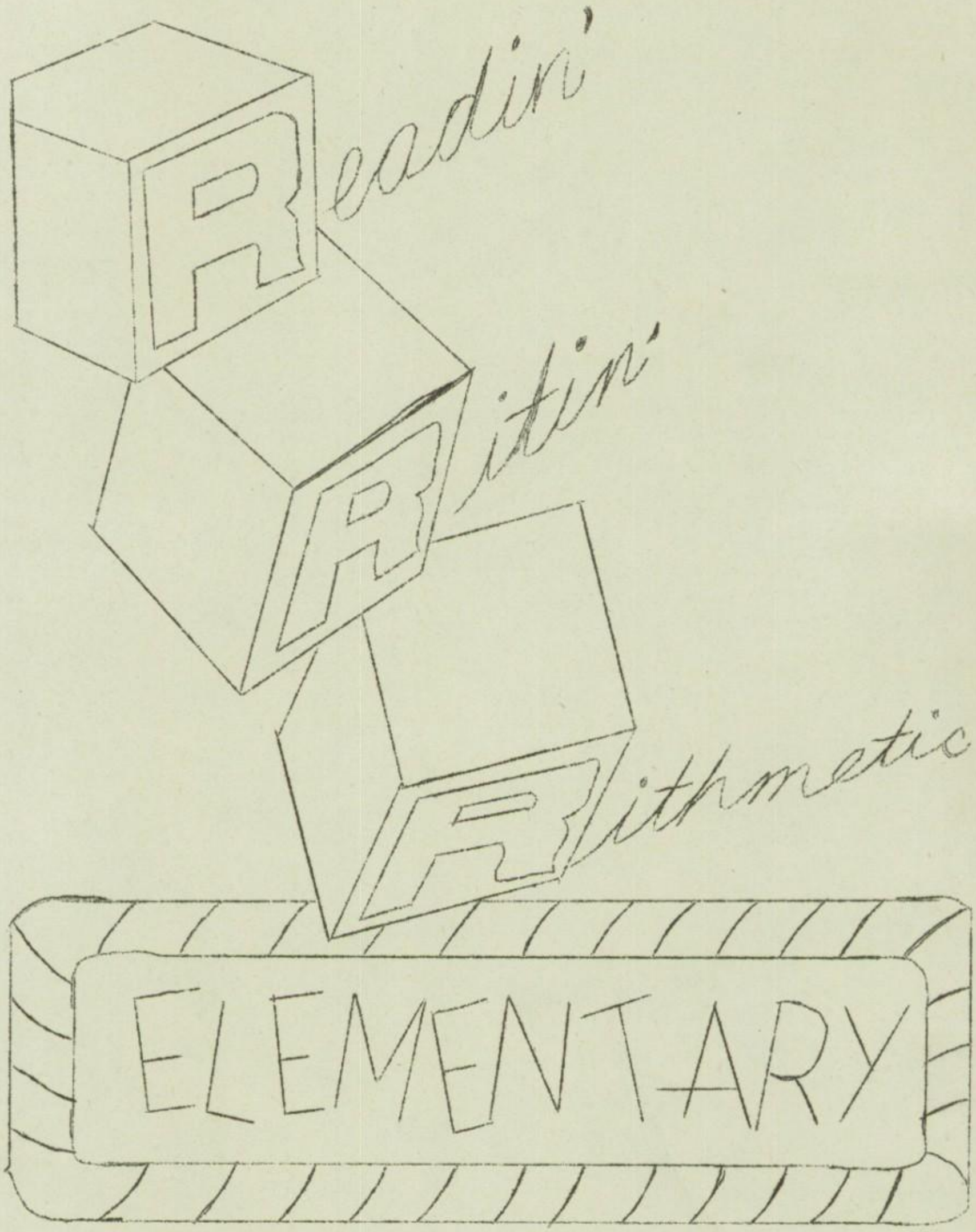
Second Row: Left to Right -- Wendell O'Neal, David Cox, Richard Cline, Mr. Prichard, Principal, Charles Sullivan, Warren Franklin, Mr. Buis, Sponsor, (Not in Picture).

FRESHMEN

In September 1948 we entered Belle Union High School as Freshmen with the following answering roll call: Anne Allee, Martha Allee, Richard Cline, David Cox, Beauford Estes, Irma Johnston, Warren Franklin, Evelyn Hurst, Ray Stringer, Jimmy Walker, Charles Sullivan, Gene Wells and Wayne O'Neal. The following officers were elected:

President----------Ray Stringer
Vice President----------Martha Allee
Sec. & Treasurer----------Evelyn Hurst
News Reporters----------Charles Sullivan
Jimmy Walker
Sponsor----------Mr. Paul Buis

Irma Johnston left us in October and Anne Allee in February, leaving us with eleven to finish our freshmen year.


Readin'
Ritin'
Rithmetic
ELEMENTARY

EIGHTH GRADE CLASS

First Row: Left to Right -- CharleneGuy, Virginia Parker, Patty Terry, Dorothy Durham, Karen McCammack, Rita French, Delores Shumaker, Golda French.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Kimball Wheeler, Donald Buis, Jack Barnett, Francis Gaston, Mr. Mosteller, Sponsor; Billy Steele, Max Nichols, Forrest Shumaker, Wayne Wilson.

SEVENTH GRADE CLASS

First Row: Left to Right -- Janet Sallust, Betty French, Imogene Guy, Helen McQueen, Nancy Vaughn, June Sallust, Elaine Pitts.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Donald Saunders, Billy Simmons, Gerald Fields, Irwin Simmons, Richard Allee, Mr. Buis, Sponsor.

FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES

First Row: Left to Right -- Sue Terry, Shirley Herbert, Betty Shrader, Verdenia Caudell, Betty Ziegelman, Jesse Stockton, Hazel Wilson, Sue Mark, Katheleen Barnette, Beverly Chilcote, Jannis Larkin, Geraldine Fields.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Ronald Saunders, R ichard Simmons, Wilma Gibson, Janet McCammack, Rosa Durham, Leoma French, Janice Scott, Anna Cox, Jean Vaughn, Shelby Nichols, Erland Shelton, Ronnie Clearwaters.

Third Row: Left to Right -- Mr. Stringer, Bobby Sechman, Wendell Goodpaster, Jerry Hacker, Ronald McCammack, Vernon Shrader, Rosco Buchanan, Loren Salsman, Jessie Hutsell, Paul Wells.

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES

First Row: Left to Right -- Patsy Hurst, Roberta Sink, Wanda Caudill, Mildred Rice, Darlene Cline, Doris Guy, Linda Salsman, Lois Shrader.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Rex Coffman, Donald Walton, Marlene French, Joann Wilson, Madelyn Blue, Ann Childress, Maxine Goodpaster, Madonna Blue, Mary Parker, Jackie Wheeler, Herschell Dawson.

Back Row: Left to Right -- Mrs. Logan, Billy Allee, Jerry Cox, Ronald Dorsett, Darrell Fine, Wilburn Caudill, Babby Clifford, Raymond O'Neal, Billy Cash, Norman Buis, Gerald Cox.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADES

First Row: Left to Right -- Linda Lane, Barbara Cosner, Nancy Fathing, Wanda Nichols, Lou Ann Sinclair, Kay Cooper, Wanda Buis, Jane Mustard.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Roy Buchanan, Larry Salsman, Nema DePew, Sarah Hacker, Sharon Sinclair, Jewell Terry, Robert Barnette, Mrs. Garl.

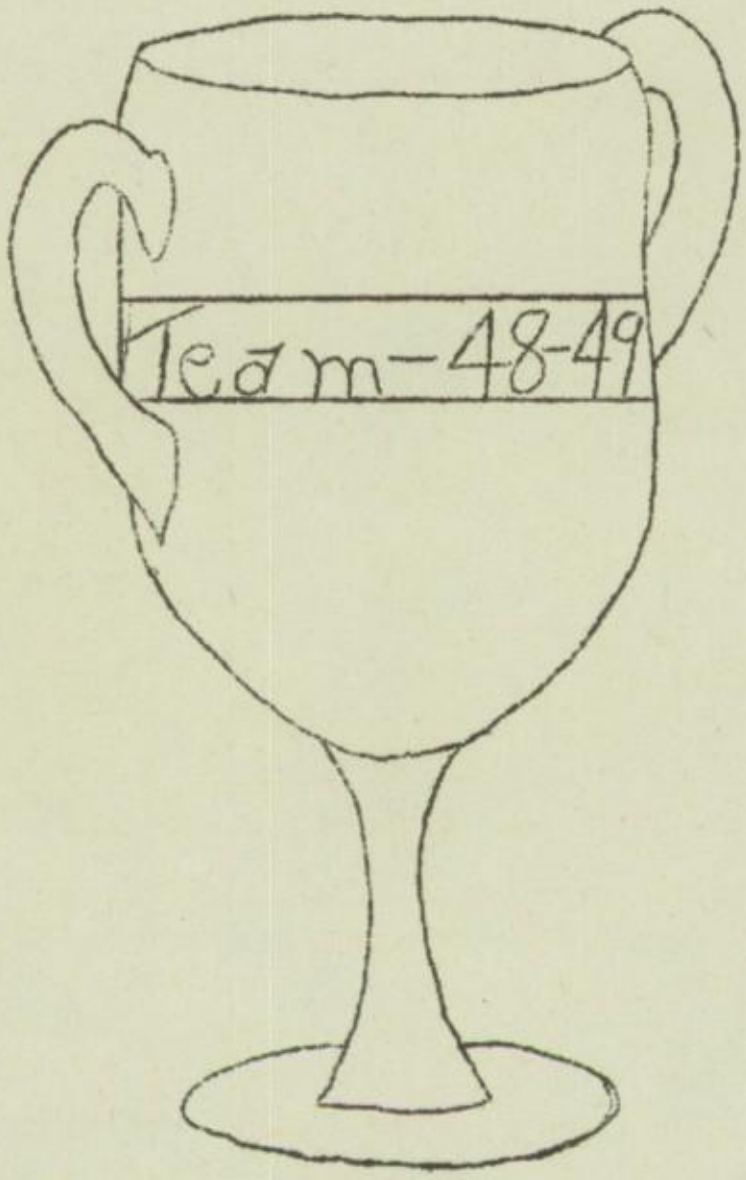
Third Row: Left to Right -- Herbert Simmons, Forest Kean, Ray Fields, Byron Hacker, Gerald Buis, Leon Herbert, Ronald Gostage.

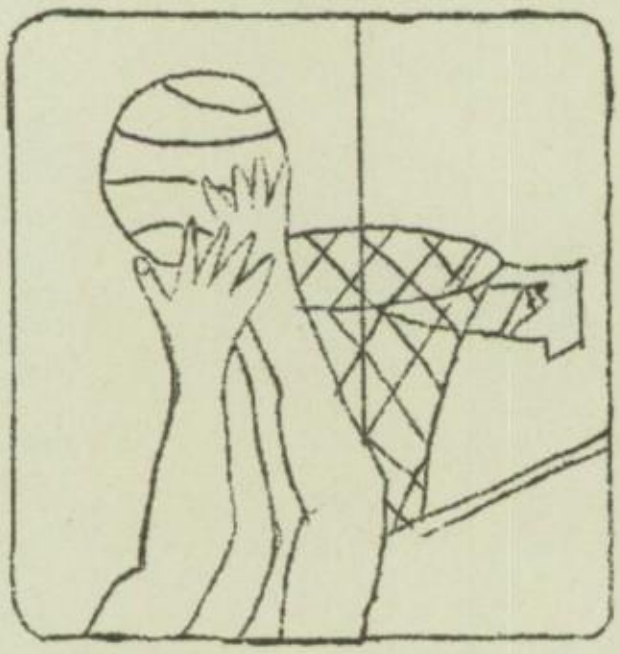
FIRST AND SECOND GRADES

First Row: Left to Right -- Loretta Sink, Lola Snapp, Janet Buis, Myra Allan, Marilyn Chilcote, Irene Sweet, Martha Goodpaster, Betty Johnson, Diane Kennedy.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Robert Hacker, Sharon Phillips, Carol Parker, Judy Allee, Patsy Childress, Carole Hiatt, Bobby Terry, Myron Hacker.

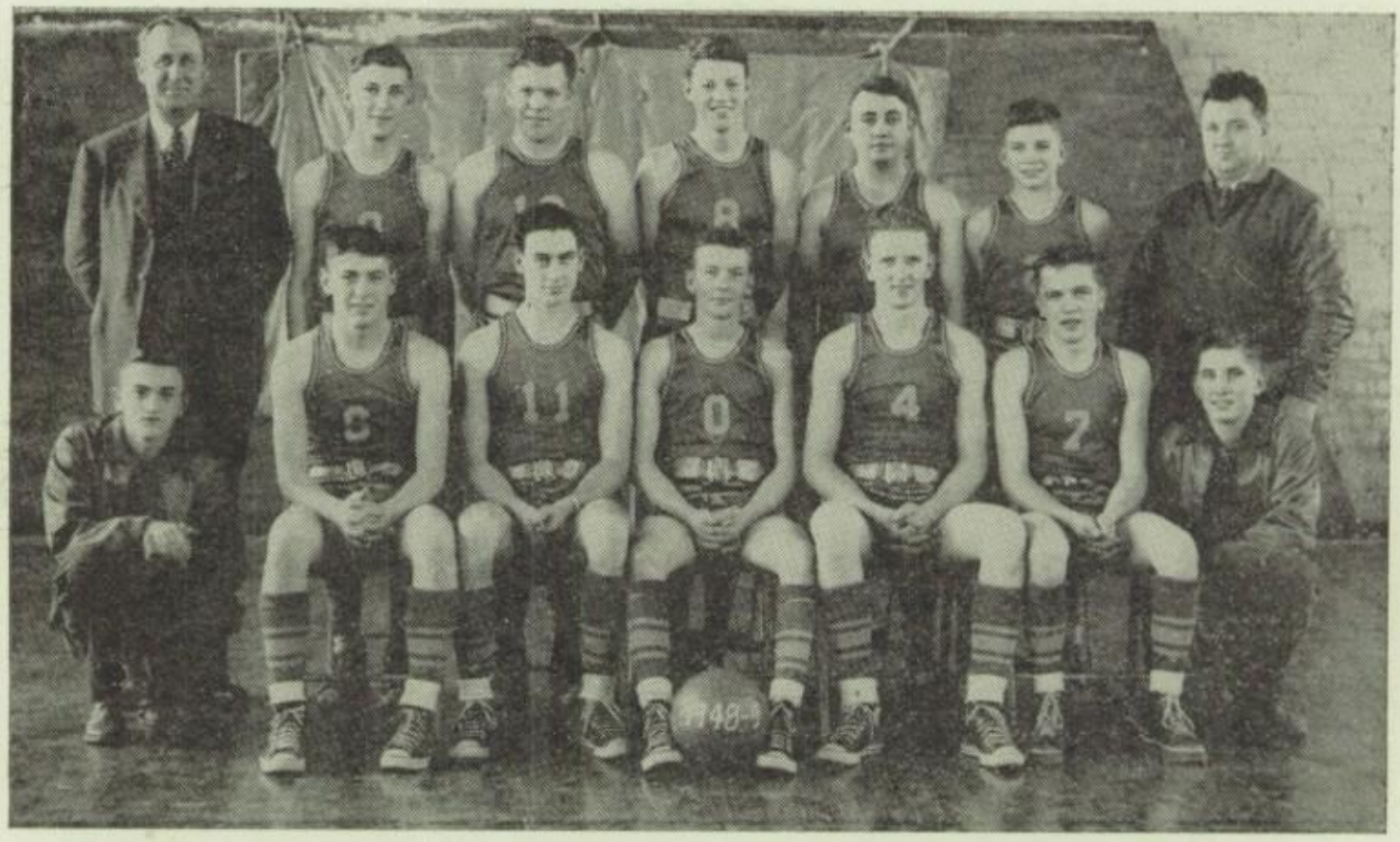
Back Row: Left to Right -- Vernon Fields, Stephen Mustard, Herbert Lane, Ronnie Allee, Johnnie Simmons, Rudy Cooper, Gary Allee, Roy Shelton, Jimmie Hurst, Mrs. Parker.





Athletics

BASKETBALL TEAM 1948-49



First Row: Left to Right -- Charles Nichols, Student Manager, Richard Saunders, Bob Hartsaw, Bobby Ziegelman, Leon Phillips, Morris Williamson, Robert Morrison, Student Manager.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Mr. Prichard, Principal, Gene McCammack, Bob DePew, Donald Dorsett, Denzil Benassi, Gene Gibson, Mr. Mosteller, Coach.

SCHEDULE

Score Opponent	Team	Score Belle Union
43	Paragon	48
36	Cloverdale	33
38	Reelsville	67
44	Fillmore	34
36	Eminence	64
44	Bainbridge	42
49	Stilesville	24
29	Cloverdale	40
42	Paragon	47
59	Russellville	61
41	Quincy	25
41	Van Buren	38
52	Fillmore	42
48	Stilesville	43
30	Eminence	57
45	Quincy	47
46	Russellville	49
41	Reelsville	79

SOFTBALL TEAM 1948

First Row: Left to Right -- Richard Saunders, Bob DePew, Bobby Ziegelman, Morris Williamson, Gene McCammack, Duane Gaston.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Mr. Prichard, Principal, Wendell O'Neal, Bob Hartsaw, Donald Dorsett, Leon Phillips, Robert Morrison, Student Manager, Mr. Mosteller, Coach.

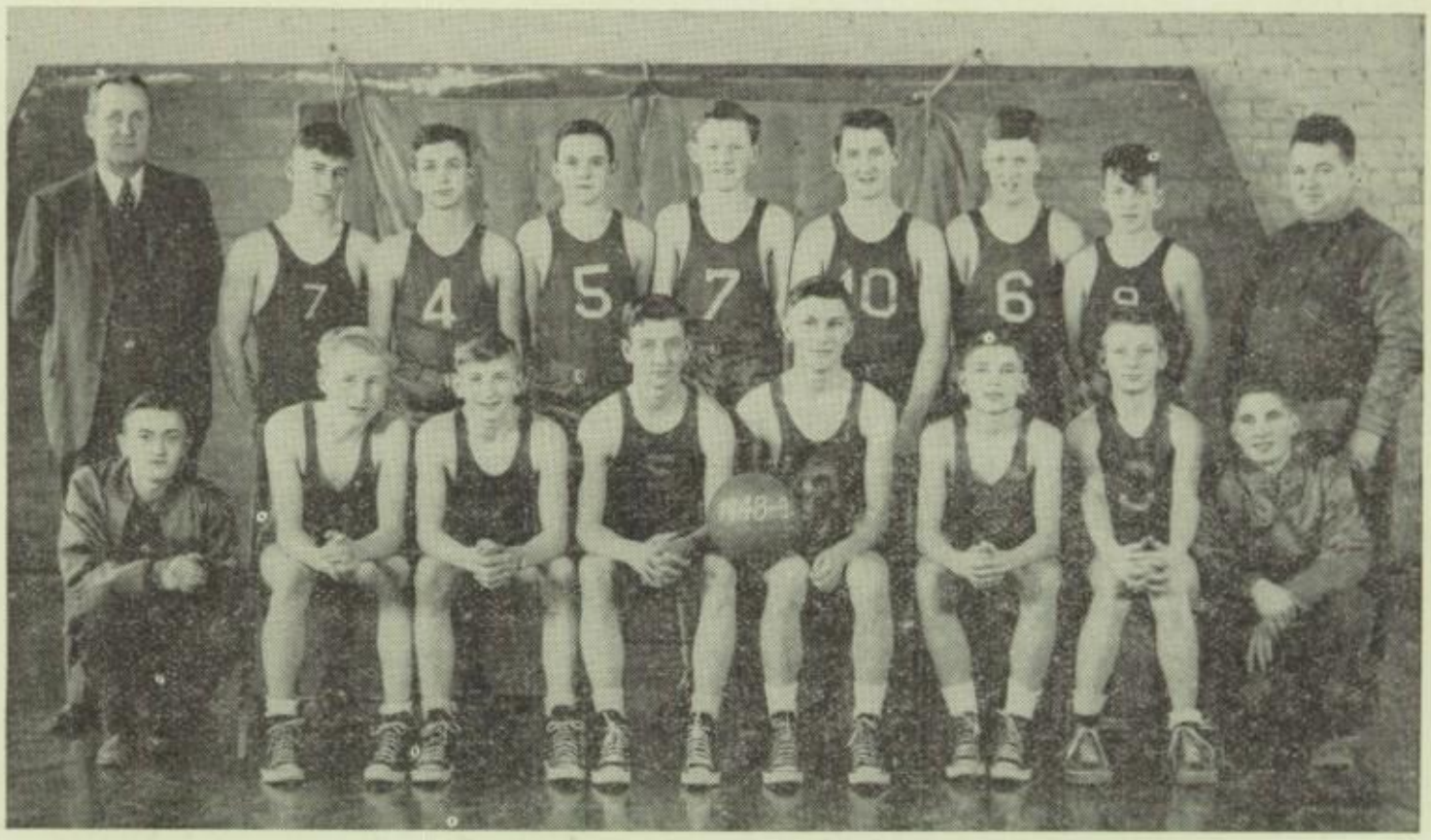
Third Row: Left to Right -- Charles Nichols, Student Manager, Richard Morrison, Freddie Wheeler, Richard Cline, Gene Gibson, Billy Ziegelman.

SCHEDULE

Opponent	Team	Belle Union
6	Fillmore	4
11	Cloverdale	5
1	Reelsville	16
12	Roachdale	20
2	Bainbridge	15
11	Russellville	1

CHEER LEADERS

Karen McCammack "Sonny" Mosteller Wilrita French

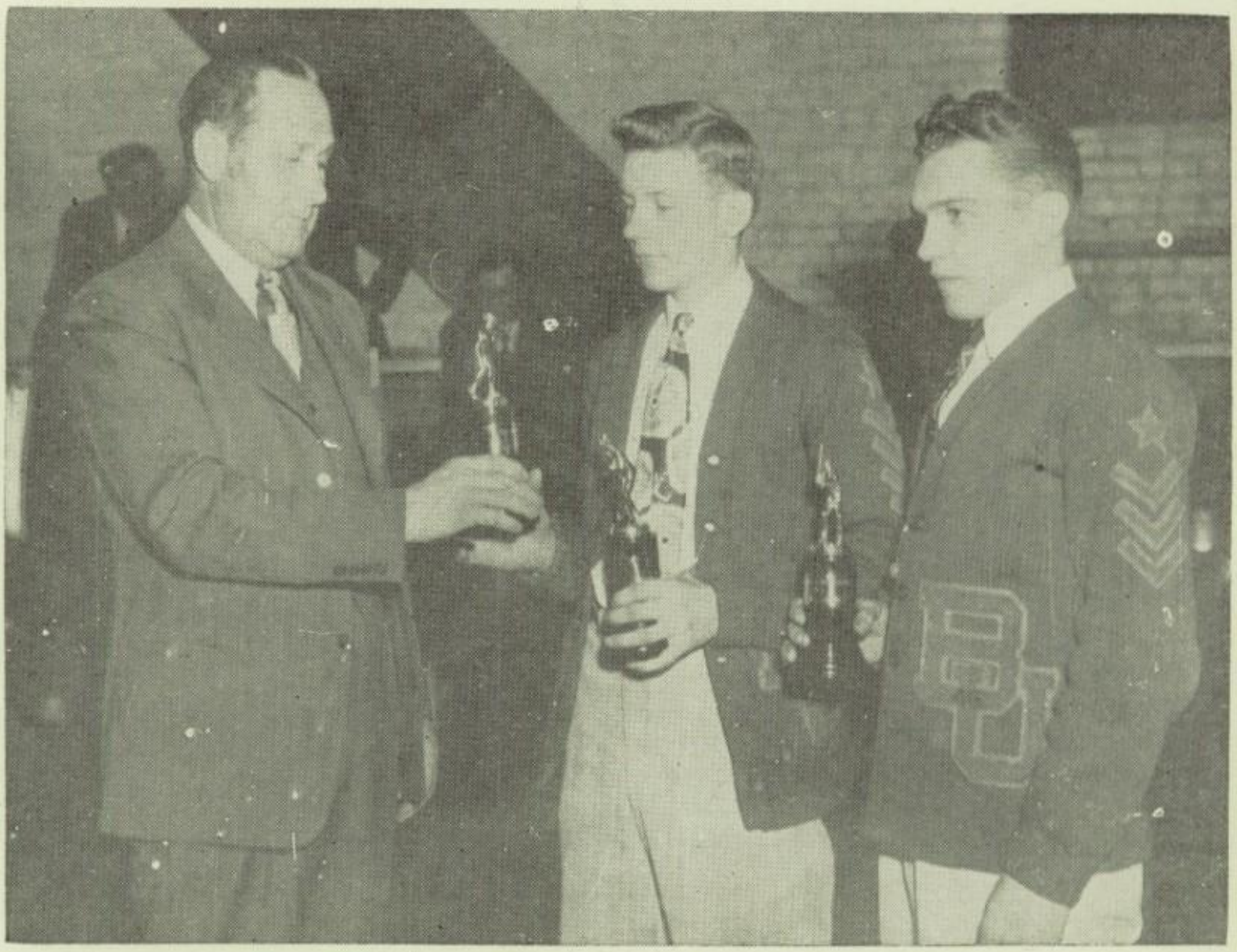


"B" TEAM

First Row: Left to Right -- Charles Nichols, Student Manager, Duane Gaston, Richard Morrison, Freddie Wheeler, Gene McCammack, Gene Gibson, Billy Ziegelman, Robert Morrison, Student Manager.

Second Row: Left to Right -- Mr. Prichard, Wendell O'Neal, Ray Stringer, Glen McCammack, David Cox, Wayne Cox, Richard Cline, Jimmy Walker, Mr. Mosteller, Coach.

HONORS



Bobby Ziegelman received a trophy as the outstanding player in basketball.

1947-48 -- He had a total of 288 points of which 110 were free throws.

1948-49 -- He had a total of 338 points of which 130 were free throws, making a total of 626 points for two years.

He was leading scorer in Putnam County in 1948-49 with a season record of 338 points in twenty games, giving him an average of 17 points per game.

Morris Williamson received a trophy as the outstanding player on the softball team. He was captain of the team and one of the leading hitters. He hit safely 13 times out of 27 official trips to the plate for a batting average of .481 for the season.

ADVICE TO THE SENIORS OF 1949

Seniors, advice is given by many people but taken by few. You are approaching the close of your high school career.

Each of you should have a goal toward which you are striving. Your education should not stop with a high school diploma. You should strive to earn a diploma from a higher institution of learning.

One who expects to be successful in life must be dependable, willing to help other people and be on the level with your neighbor.

I would like to recommend the idea of pursuing your dreams with all the strength and will power you have: To take success if it comes in stride, and if it doesn't come take that also in the same stride.

I want to congratulate you on being ready to graduate from high school, and I wish you all the success and happiness possible in the future.

Dora G. Pritchard

Success depends largely on choosing an occupation for life when young, setting a goal, and striving to reach that end.

L. R. Livingston

Old David Harum, if the story is true
Said, "do to ever feller as he'd do to you."
David didn't mean it when he talked like that
No one can do business giving tit for tat.

Girls, here's something that you can understand
Some day 'fore long you'll be lookin' for a man
It's pretty good business if the man can give assurance
If he passes out he'll leave 5000 insurance.

Girls and Boys both, layin' all jokes aside
Doing things that's right never take you for a ride.
Do your duty, mind your parents, and to all your friends be true,
And the Lord's rod and staff will forever comfort you.

Mable Davidson

Dear Seniors:

On the night before he was killed in battle, an American army officer wrote a letter to his son in which he offered the following quotation as advice for the son's guidance in life. "To thine own self be true and it follows, as the night the day, thou can not to any man be false."

Will you accept this as a motto on which to build your own lives?

Paula T. Burris

Have a job to do, and do your best, to do it well.

Mary Logan

If you would have success, make up your mind to do something you dream of doing. Begin your work by planning the first step to be taken, and continue your work by performing one hard task each day.

Cultivate the habit of persistence, which is the most important element of success, and hold steadfast to your purpose in spite of your failures. Do not expect too much at first, for achievement is not a swift race on an elevator. It is a hot, hard climb up a long steep hill.

School yourself to disregard discouragement and approval. Omit the ill humors of your disposition, and relieve your mind of the thought that you are being slighted or overlooked. Cultivate a cheerful countenance, since battles may be lost by frowns, and successes won by the narrow margin of a smile.

Do not interfere with others, not try to direct their lives. You'll have all you can do to make a success of your own.

Edith Whitaker

FRIENDSHIP

Pure disinterested friendship is a bright flame, emitting none of the smoke of selfishness. Its origin is divine and its results enrapture the soul. However, the world has ever been flooded with base counterfeits, many so thickly coated with the apparently pure metal that nothing but time can detect the base interior and the ulterior designs of bogus friends. Deception is a fault of many men and is practised throughout their entire lives.

Friendship is a flower that blooms in all seasons. Wherever it is watered with the dews of kindness and affection, there you may be sure to find it in its purity. Its eternal and universal fragrance dispels every thought of envy, and purifies the mind with a priceless contentment. True friendship can only be found to bloom in the soil of a noble and self sacrificing heart, there it has a perennial summer, a never-ending season of joy to its happy possessor. No one can be happy without a friend.

-R. Coates-

Clone L Parker

Life is a gift of which the humblest person may boast, and it was given to us to be used every day. The best thing about life is that the more we use it in service for others, the more beautiful it becomes. In being of service to others, we make someone happy. In bringing happiness to others, we are happy.

Verna K. Gard

I can think of no better advice than the following lesson taught in these wise old sayings.

"My life is my honor, both are born in one,
Take honor from me and my life is done.

"He who tries and fails is better than he who never tried at all."

"He who wastes time loses life, for time is the stuff from which life is made."

Lester E Mostellar

Dear Seniors:

If you can treasure friendships and store away happy memories of them against the times of trouble;

If you can preserve a keen sense of humor as a buffer against life's irritations;

If you can do small things graciously;

If you can adjust yourself uncomplainingly to new situations, even if not of your own choice;

If you can judge kindly, making all due allowance for different viewpoints and training;

If you can cultivate a sensitivity to the feelings of others, that you will never unwittingly hurt them;

If you can love all with whom you come in contact as deeply as you can, feeling that by so doing you may be able to counteract some of the hate in the world, and lastly, feeling that you have given only the talent of being kind;

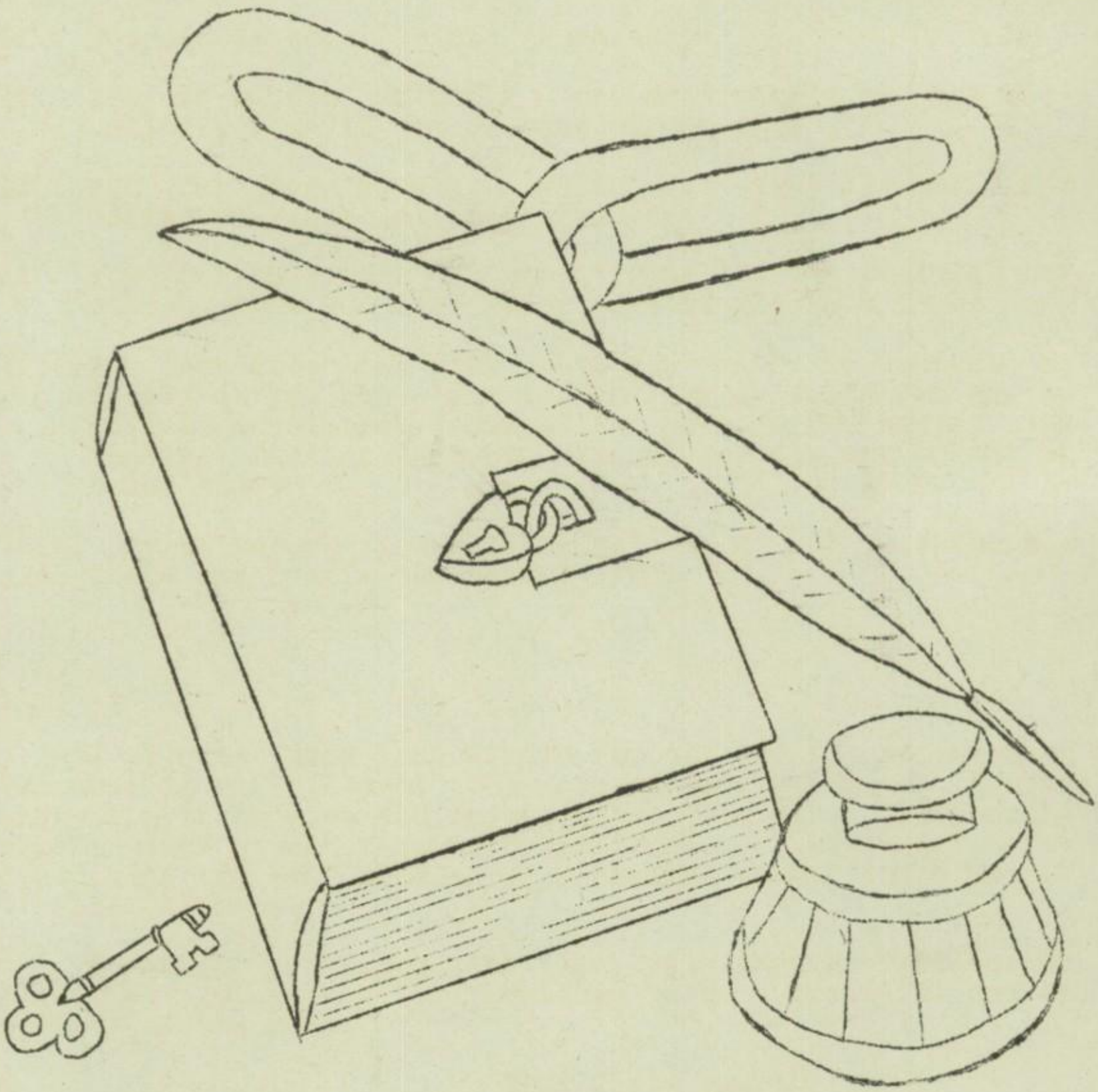
Then, my children, you will be able to go out into the big wide world and lead a successful life.

I wish to thank you kindly for all the favors you have extended to me the past two years as your sponsor. I have enjoyed working with you and have tried to direct your pathways in such a manner as I thought best. I appreciate you dedicating the "49" edition of Memories to me and consider it a great honor.

I want to leave you with this wish that is familiar to all of us: May your life continue to be a beautiful and as perfect as the rose.

Your Class Sponsor

Freeda Lodge



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